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PSRML Staff Update

New Director



We are delighted to announce that Judy Consales has been appointed as the new Director of the Louise Darling Biomedical Library. Judy took over as head of the library effective November 1, 2003. She has served as Interim Director of the Biomedical Library since July 1, 2002. She was appointed to this position when former Director Alison Bunting was named Interim

University Librarian. Prior to this temporary appointment, Judy has served as Deputy Director of the Biomedical Library since 1999. Her experience in medical libraries spans 27 years and includes experience as a hospital medical librarian and also as a trainer and account representative for information providers. In addition, she headed reference at the New York Academy of Medicine Library for four years and has worked in several capacities for the Pacific Southwest Regional Medical Library (PSRML). In her role as Director of the Biomedical Library, Judy will serve as the Principal Investigator and Director for the PSRML.

Judy is a well-respected leader in medical libraries. She was one of five individuals nationally selected for the prestigious National Library of Medicine/American Association of Health Sciences Libraries (NLM/AAHSL) Leadership Fellows Program this year. She is an active member of the Medical Library Association.

New Administrative Assistant



Jeanneth Quevedo transferred to PSRML from the Administrative Office of UCLA's Louise M. Darling Biomedical Library on November 19, 2003. As Administrative Assistant for PSRML, Jeanneth will be triaging PSRML inquiries, assisting Karen Ricard with a variety of office functions, and providing support for

PSRML's outreach program. Jeanneth, who has a degree in accounting, has worked at the Biomedical Library for the past 12 years; she has worked at UCLA since 1984. Jeanneth is a native of Ecuador and has three children. She continues to be very active in community service programs and currently spends her Saturdays providing religious instruction at her church. In the future, she hopes to serve as a Peace Corps volunteer. Give us a call and join us in welcoming Jeanneth!

Heidi Sandstrom

This article is freely available at: http://nnlm.gov/psr/lat/v12n6/staff.html

DOCLINE 2.0 – Coming Soon!

A brand new interface for DOCLINE is coming soon. As of this writing, DOCLINE 2.0 is being tested by the Regional Medical Libraries; it will soon be available for beta testing to the vendors (QuickDoc, Clio, etc.) and network members. This new version will include a total revision of DOCUSER, the database of DOCLINE participants and all other NN/LM network members. Because DOCUSER touches all parts of DOCLINE, there have been changes throughout all of DOCLINE as well.

A new look and new names

There is a new look and feel to DOCLINE that is noticeable from the beginning at the new login screen. Tugger, DOCLINE's mascot, used to appear only when DOCLINE was unavailable. Tugger will now be on the login screen unless there are important system messages to display. Tugger seems to invite questions from everyone who sees him, so Tugger has his own home page.

Some names are changing too. To get DOCUSER information, you will click on 'Institutions'. SERHOLD will now be listed as 'Serials Holdings'. Changes to user group names in the Services and Fees section are particularly welcome. What used to be listed as 'Affiliated Health Professionals' now is listed as 'Affiliated Users', providing more clarity for libraries that serve educational institutions with faculty, staff, and students who are not health professionals. You can also indicate that you provide Loansome Doc service to the 'Public' instead of the former 'Non-health professionals'.



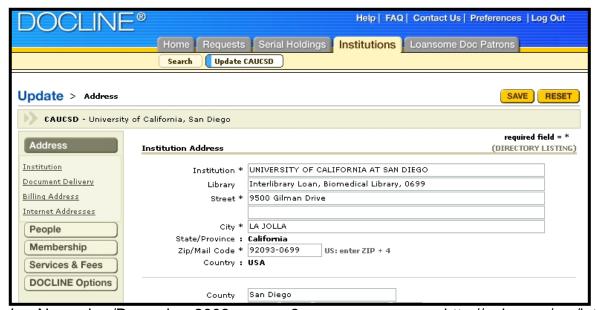


More address capabilities

DOCLINE 2.0 includes four categories of addresses.

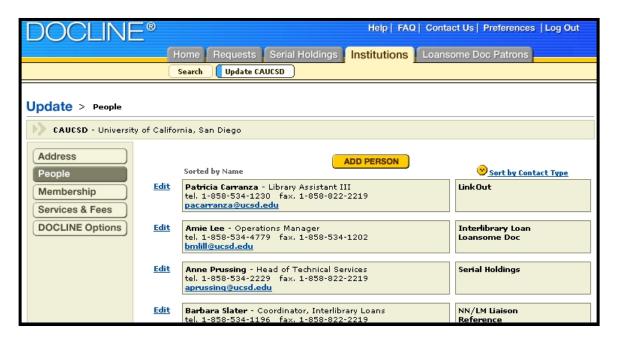
- 1. Institution address is the main address for your library as you would want it to appear in a directory or in MEDLINEplus.
- 2. Interlibrary loan address is where you want interlibrary loans sent.
- 3. There is a new billing address that can be the same as your interlibrary loan address or different.
- 4. Internet addresses are entered only once rather than on multiple screens; you can now enter Internet addresses for your home institution, library, OPAC, ILL department, Loansome Doc, and consumer health service all in one section.

Redundant data entry has been removed; for example, you now only enter the County once, in the institutional address. Congressional district is no longer included since NLM can generate this information in other ways.



Better information about people

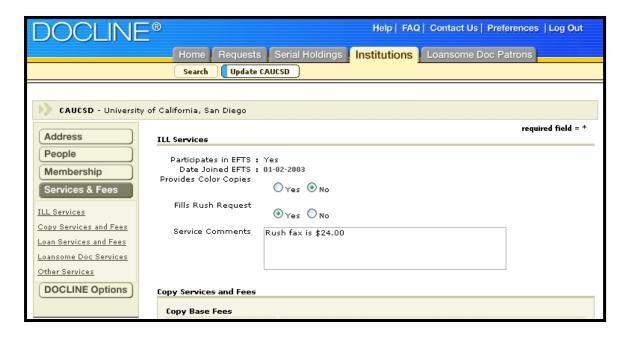
DOCLINE 2.0 provides more efficient handling of contact information. One person can have multiple roles, and the same role may be shared by a number of people. For the one-person library, you will fill out your name, title, phone, email, and fax and then you will check the roles you play, called 'Contact Type' (Director, Interlibrary Loan, Network, Select All, etc.). You will not need to re-enter information as you must in DOCLINE 1.6. For large libraries, you will be able to assign several people to interlibrary loan or reference, for example. You will be able to sort the People display by name or contact type.



More ILL charge information

DOCLINE 2.0 allows you to provide more information about your interlibrary loan charges. One major improvement is that you can list separate charges for loans versus copies. Your membership in library groups will display along with costs for loans among members of the group. You will be able to specify 'Reciprocal Partners' and the charges you have for them. Finally, you will be able to enter your ILL base charge for all 'Other ILL'. Any other charges, such as additional pages, color copies, rush, etc., are listed as 'Copy Surcharges'.

There has been a major change to Library groups. DOCLINE will indicate an agreed-upon loan charge for each DOCLINE Library Group that has one and will provide a link to the library group's web page if there is one.



Routing Table and M / A / N Map

DOCLINE 2.0 includes some major changes to how you work with and edit your routing tables. The biggest change is the creation of a 'workspace' where you can temporarily place a library or group of libraries. For example, you might use the 'Search' function to identify FreeShare libraries in California that offer electronic delivery and then limit the search to libraries that are not already in your routing table. You can then automatically add the results of your search to the workspace and then move them to various cells in your routing table. One major difference – you will need to specifically request approval for your routing table. In DOCLINE 1.6, your routing table changes are sent to the RML for approval whenever you saved your changes. In DOCLINE 2.0, you can move the LIBIDs around several times, but you must make a specific request for approval or they will always be in your proposed, not your current, routing table.

The M / A / N Map (Monographs, Audiovisuals, Non-NLM Journals) is being increased from four libraries to nine. This is a big and welcome increase to your options for borrowing books in particular. There is also a 'workspace' within your M / A / N Map that is similar in function to the workspace for your routing table.



Other

With DOCLINE 2.0, you can now print your entire library's DOCUSER record. This will make it easier for you to review the data and to see where you need to make changes.

For more information on DOCLINE 2.0, view the presentation slides given by Maria Collins at the 2003 Medical Library Association meeting. Go to MLA 2003 PowerPoint Presentation. To view speaker notes: Right click on the presentation and select the "Full Screen" option. Once the presentation has opened up into slide show full screen format, right click again and select "Speaker Notes" if you would like to read the narration that accompanies this presentation. The Speaker Notes box will stay visible as you proceed through the presentation. You may close the box at any time. Click or use Page Down to advance through the presentation. If you have any questions, please contact us.

Julie Kwan and Andrea Lynch

This article is freely available at: http://nnlm.gov/psr/lat/v12n6/docline_2.html

What Should you do When DOCLINE 2.0 Becomes Available?

Your existing institutional information in DOCUSER will be uploaded from DOCLINE 1.6 to DOCLINE 2.0. The first thing you should do is review your library's DOCUSER information and edit where necessary. You should try this during the beta test period, but remember that you will need to reenter your corrections when DOCLINE 2.0 moves into production. Here's a game plan:

Print your institutional record

• Find your institutional record. Go to "Institutions"; then "Update 'MYLIBID". Scroll down the screen and click on "Print entire library record", which appears on the left hand side. This will open a separate browser window. Use the PRINT icon in this browser window to print the

entire record. You may use this paper copy to review your institutional information (i.e., DOCUSER).

Review your address information

- Check your institutional address. Does it say "ILL Department"? Please edit this because it will become your official address in both the Find a NN/LM Member Library (http://www.nnlm.gov/members/) and MEDLINEplus library directory (http://www.nlm.nih.gov/medlineplus/libraries.html).
- Do you want your bills sent to a different address than your institutional address or your interlibrary loan address? If yes, you can now add a separate billing address. When you first log on to DOCLINE 2.0 your ILL address will be copied into the billing address section. You may change this if you wish.
- Do you have a web site for consumer health? You can add this in the Internet Addresses section under Address. If you include a web site here, it will be used in the MEDLINEplus library directory.

Update your contact information

• Click on "People" and review the display. Update the names as necessary. You may add more names if you wish, and you may add more roles or "Contact Types" to individual entries. Double check phone, fax, and email listings.

Update your services and fees

- Do you provide color copies? If so, please check the box. If you do nothing, the system will say that you do not provide this service.
- Do you have separate charges for loans versus copies? Do you charge extra for color copies? For rush?
- Are you willing to serve international users? If so, update the Loansome Doc Services section under Services & Fees.

Add to your M/A/N map

• If your M/A/N map is full, you can add up to five additional libraries to your M/A/N map for a total of nine libraries. You may add more Resource Libraries or other libraries with specialty collections that are of interest to you. Remember, when requests route according to your library's M/A/N map, they route sequentially through the libraries. Click on DOCLINE Options to edit both the routing table and M/A/N map for your library.

Are you listed in MEDLINEplus?

• If you would like your library listed as a "Consumer health library providing services to local residents", go to the Services & Fees section and select "Yes" for "Authorizes listing in MEDLINEplus Consumer Health Libraries Directory".

DOCLINE 2.0 includes many new features for updating routing tables. We believe it is really important that you start by updating your basic institutional information before your routing table. We will feature routing tables in a later article. If you have any questions, please contact us!

Julie Kwan and Andrea Lynch

This article is freely available at: http://nnlm.gov/psr/lat/v12n6/what_to_do.html

PubMed on Tap Access PubMed on Handheld, Wireless Devices!

Do your clinicians use wireless PDAs? Do they want quick access to MEDLINE at the bedside or conference room? If so, they may be good candidates to help NLM evaluate PubMed on Tap, a new Web application which targets mobile health care professionals by facilitating access to NLM databases and medical information at the point of care.

PubMed on Tap provides a way to search PubMed/MEDLINE, read abstracts from a set of 120 core clinical journals, and access the ClinicalTrials.gov database. To use PubMed on Tap, you need a PDA with Palm 4.0 OS or higher and a wireless Internet connection. You can download the application at http://archive.nlm.nih.gov/proj/pmot/pmot.php. This site also provides a Flash demo, the user manual in both Word and PDF formats, and a public forum for discussing your reactions to PubMed on Tap. Through the public forum, you can also interact with the developer.

PubMed on Tap is designed to facilitate focused retrieval of MEDLINE citations. After selecting the "Search MEDLINE/PubMed" link from the home page, you will see a screen that allows either unrestricted PubMed searching, or limiting searches with the Systematic Reviews or Clinical Queries filters. The "Related Articles" link is also included as a search option. In addition, the latest version of PubMed on Tap, released on October 23, 2003 features several new enhancements, including the Publication Types and several other searching limits, the ability to cluster search results by journal subject, and the ability to email individual citations.

The "Read new Journals Abstracts" link on PubMed on Tap's home page leads to a screen that allows viewing of abstracts from journals comprising PubMed's core clinical journals. Twenty-eight of the journal titles are included in a pull-down menu. To see abstracts from a title which is not included in the pull-down list, enter any part of the journal name or NLM title abbreviation into the search box on the lower portion of the screen, and then click on the "Search journal title" button. The most current abstracts will appear at the top of the display list.

The "Feedback" link from PubMed on Tap's home page leads to a checklist and series of questions about PubMed usage on PDAs. A text box is included for additional comments. NLM is very interested in feedback from potential evaluators. Chief residents or similar populations may provide fertile ground for recruiting volunteers to test and evaluate PubMed on Tap. Input from testers will strongly influence the selection of the next features, such as additional NLM databases, to be implemented in future releases.

All of us at PSRML are very interested in your reactions to PubMed on Tap, so please let us know what you think about it.

Alan Carr

This article is freely available at: http://nnlm.gov/psr/lat/v12n6/pubmed_tap.html

Stake Your Claim to Health Literacy

If the topics of health literacy or health information literacy are not yet on your radar, you have another opportunity at the NCNMLG - MLGSCA - PNC/MLA Joint Meeting 2004 to find out more about them, and about how you can become involved in enhancing these literacies in your health information environment.

Sponsored by the Pacific Southwest Regional Medical Library, the day-long, regional symposium will focus on language and cultural access to health information. The goals for the symposium are to build on the foundation provided by the recent MLA satellite teleconference, Reading Between the Lines: Focusing on Health Information Literacy; to provide participants with practical tools and skills, and to help them identify specific actions they can take in support of clear communication and improving access to resources that are linguistically and culturally appropriate.

Preliminary Program

8-9 AM	Registration/Continental Breakfast
9-9:30	Opening Speakers - Neil Rambo (NN/LM Pacific Northwest Region)/TBA - Overview;
	needs statement to incorporate information and health literacy; MLA organizational
	response/NLM response and upcoming initiatives
9:30-10:30	Keynote Address - Dean Schillinger, MD (Soros Foundation Fellow) – integrating
	health literacy into health professional curricula, health care systems, clinician-patient
	interactions, and research
10:30-10:45	Morning BREAK
10:45-12	Panel – Choosing Appropriate Materials (addressing format, readability, translations
	and culture)
	Speakers - Christine Wilson Owens (Ethnomed); Audrey Riffenburgh (Riffenburgh &
	Associates); Beth Westcott (NN/LM Southeastern/Atlantic Region); Sabrina Kurtz-
	Rossi (Literacy Division, World Education)
12-1 PM	LUNCH (roundtable discussions)
1-2	BREAKOUT Sessions*
2-3	BREAKOUT Sessions*
3-3:15	Afternoon BREAK
3:15-4	So now what can I do? And with whom? (30 minutes)
	Funding/community partners (15 minutes)
	Evaluations
4-4:15	Vendor Presentations
4:15-5:30	Reception

Breakout session topics will highlight Readability Tools, Laws and Standards, Cultural Considerations, and Non-print Resources.

Cost for this one-day event is \$35.00, which includes a continental breakfast, breaks, and lunch. Register for the symposium on the Joint Meeting 2004 <u>registration form</u>; you do not need to attend the other days of the Joint Meeting to register for the symposium. Additional information on meal and breakout session choices will be sent to registrants in early January. MLA CE credit will be offered. Please consider inviting a colleague from your organization to join you for what promises to be an event not to miss!

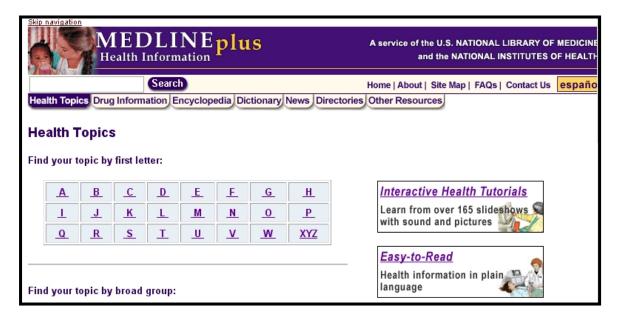
Heidi Sandstrom

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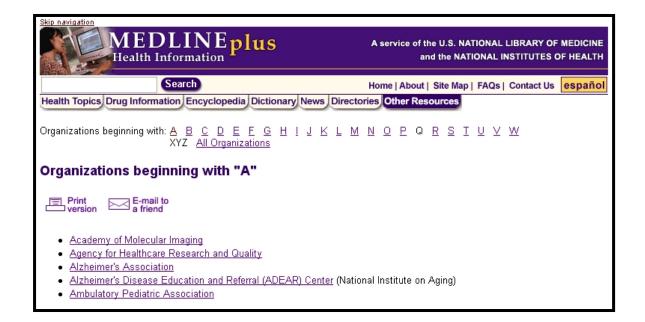
MEDLINEplus Update

Several new features debuted on MEDLINEplus and MEDLINEplus en español in November.

Easy-to-Read pages, available in both English and Spanish, bring together the popular *Interactive Health Tutorials* and other easy-to-read materials by topic. Find these pages by clicking on the "Easy-to-Read" graphic on the **Health Topics** page. The pages include links to printer-friendly versions and the ability to email the link or the entire contents of the page.



The **Organizations** page, available from the **Other Resources** section, now includes all organizations with pages linked in MEDLINEplus. The alphabetical pages include printer-friendly and email links.



You can now sign up for **weekly lists of news and links on specialty topics** including Women's Health, Seniors' Health, Mental Health, and Diabetes. These lists are available via the "Sign up now!" link on the homepage of MEDLINEplus, in addition to the e-mail announcement lists that cover all health topics.

You can now find information about prescription and over-the-counter **medications** on **MEDLINEplus en español**. The first 200 records from MedMaster, from the American Society of Health-System Pharmacists, are now available and all of MedMaster will be available in Spanish by the end of 2004.



Spanish-speaking users can now view health and wellness articles from the news and information company Healthday. These articles are featured on the MEDLINEplus en español home pages on the

Noticias (News) and on appropriate topic pages. Articles are available in a print version and can be emailed to a friend.

Heidi Sandstrom

This article is freely available at: http://nnlm.gov/psr/lat/v12n6/medlineplus_update.html

Is Your Library Listed in MEDLINEplus?

MEDLINEplus includes a list of libraries in the United States and Canada that provide service to local residents. Users can find this listing by going to Other Resources on MEDLINEplus and clicking on a state or province. They will then see a display, arranged by city, with the following information:

- Institution name
- Library name
- Street address, city, state, zip code
- Main library phone number
- Consumer health home page or library home page

To have your library listed, logon to DOCLINE and go to your DOCUSER record. Under the Services tab, check "Authorizes listing in MEDLINEplus". Double check your institutional address, your main phone number, and your library's URLs. MEDLINEplus will first look for a URL for a consumer health home page. If there is none available, it will look for the main library URL. Think about how you want your listing to look.

Now that you're listed, take a look and see your library in MEDLINEplus!

Julie Kwan



This article is freely available at: http://nnlm.gov/psr/lat/v12n6/medlineplus_listing.html

Changing the Face of Medicine: An Exhibit

The "Changing the Face of Medicine: Celebrating America's Women Physicians" exhibit opened on October 14, 2003 at the National Library of Medicine (NLM). This exhibit, which features over 300 physicians, also has a website that serves as its companion

(http://www.nlm.nih.gov/changingthefaceofmedicine/). This web companion to the exhibit includes a variety of resources that are useful and valuable to medical librarians, physicians, teachers, students, and many others:

- Web-based activities to engage visitors in online learning about the human body and about exceptional physicians that have improved our quality of life
- A "Share your story" section with online forms to share stories about physicians
- Web-based video streams of interviews with featured physicians
- A search feature that retrieves physicians by state, ethnicity, specialty, and medical school
- Information on becoming a medical doctor
- Three bibliographies that highlight women in medicine. The book and video bibliographies are geared for K-12 students. The research bibliography covers women in the history of medicine as well as autobiographies.
- Lesson plans for K-12 teachers covering women in medicine



Dr. Vivia Belle Appleton practiced pediatrics in Hawaii for fifty years



Dr. Susan La Flesche Picotte, the first American Indian woman in the United States to receive a medical degree

When the exhibit closes in 2005, it will begin a tour across the United States (the dates and locations have not yet been determined). There will also be DVD made available through the Friends of the National Library of Medicine (FNLM) website (http://www.fnlm.org/). If you are interested in ordering a copy of the DVD, send an email to Alec Stone of FNLM at alec@fnlm.org. Please include Latitudes, November/December 2003

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the following information:

- 1. Your name
- 2. Your institution
- 3. Number of copies desired

Try using the exhibit's website as a way to highlight your library's collection, engage in conversations with your institution's physicians and local teachers, as well as strike up a conversation with a librarian at a public library in your area.

Andrea Lynch

[Editor's Note: Those of you interested in women in medicine should also note that NLM's Profiles of Science web site has added the papers of anatomist and researcher Florence R. Sabin. She was recognized for her work on the origins of the lymphatic system, blood cells, immune system cells, and the pathology of tuberculosis. She was the first woman to hold a full professorship at Johns Hopkins School of Medicine, the first woman elected to the National Academy of Sciences, and the first woman to head a department at the Rockefeller Institute for Medical Research. You can view an exhibit of her work at http://profiles.nlm.nih.gov/RR/]

This article is freely available at: http://nnlm.gov/psr/lat/v12n6/changing_exhibit.html

NLM/ALA Frankenstein Exhibit Comes to UCLA



"By the glimmer of the halfextinguished light, I saw the dull, yellow eye of the creator open; it breathed hard, and a convulsive motion agitated its limbs, I rushed out of the room."

Frankenstein: Penetrating the Secrets of Nature, a traveling exhibit organized by the National Library of Medicine and the American Library Association, will be on display at the UCLA Powell Library Rotunda from November 12, 2003, to January 9, 2004. The exhibit examines the birth of the novel and Mary Shelley, its precocious creator; early 19th century science as reflected in the novel; political, social, and cultural themes explored in the novel; the transformation of the monster on stage and on film; the story's continuing popularity in the United States; and questions raised by the novel that apply to emerging biomedical innovations. A number of public programs at UCLA are being planned to explore and celebrate the novel and its legacy; a listing is available at http://www.library.ucla.edu/frankenstein/. UCLA also has a companion display, 'Was I then a monster...' at the Young Research Library. The companion exhibit includes materials from the UCLA Department of Special Collections, including the original 1818 and subsequent rare editions of the novel, other works by Mary Shelley, source materials, and scholarly works about the author, the novel, and the novel's theatrical and film descendants.

The exhibit was initially shown at the National Library of Medicine from October 31, 1997 to November 30, 1998. It is traveling to 80 institutions

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for display from October 2002 through December 2005.

Julie Kwan

[Editor's Note: Adapted from Library News for the Faculty, Fall 2003. The NLM web site for the exhibit is http://www.nlm.nih.gov/hmd/frankenstein/frankhome.html. The traveling exhibit schedule is available on the ALA pages for the Frankenstein exhibit —

http://www.ala.org/Content/NavigationMenu/Our_Association/Offices/Public_Programs_Office/Curre nt_Programs/Frankenstein__Penetrating_the_Secrets_of_Nature/Frankenstein__Penetrating_the_Sec rets_of_Nature.htm]

This article is freely available at: http://nnlm.gov/psr/lat/v12n6/changing exhibit.html

Frequently Asked Questions @ PSRML

Below are some sample questions that have come into the PSRML office over the last month. You may be interested in the answers too.

- I can't see my library's LinkOut icons in PubMed. What do I need to do to see them?
- How do I find EFTS participants in the Pacific Southwest Region?
- What software do I need to participate in EFTS?
- How do I transfer Loansome Doc requests in DOCLINE?

Question: I can't see my library's LinkOut icons in PubMed. What do I need to do to see them?

Answer

NLM's LinkOut team recommends the following:

- 1. Make sure the icons are activated, either through the special URL (http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?holding=medlib where medlib is your LinkOut user name) or through Cubby.
- 2. The icons only appear in the Abstract and Citation displays of PubMed, not the default Summary display.
- 3. Make sure the URL is correct. Some people type "holdings=" instead of "holding=".
- 4. Not every article from your registered journals will display an icon. Sometimes full-text providers do not send links to certain kinds of articles (e.g. letters) or their links may not be upto-date (the most recent two or three months of a journal may not have icons yet). You can see the most recent links the providers have sent NLM at http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/journals/loftext_prov.html.
- 5. Your browser must be set to accept cookies. Even if you have them enabled in your Web browser, if they are blocked by your provider or institution (e.g., by a firewall, proxy server, etc.) cookie-dependent features of PubMed won't work.
- 6. Check your computer's date and time. Cookies may not work if your computer's date and time settings are incorrect.

7. Check with your ejournal provider, especially if you receive access through an aggregator of ejournals. They may not have supplied the correct information to NLM.

Question: How do I find EFTS participants in the Pacific Southwest Region?

Answer

There are two ways to find EFTS participants in the Pacific Southwest Region: 1) using the EFTS webpage or 2) using DOCUSER.

- 1. Using the EFTS webpage
 - a. Go to the following webpage: http://efts.uchc.edu
 - b. Click on the "Participants" link that is listed on the left-hand column
 - c. Change the "Where NN/LM Region" pull-down menu to "07 Pacific Southwest Region" and click on Submit (note that you can sort the retrieval by LIBID, date joined, organization, or state)
- 2. Using DOCUSER
 - a. Login to DOCLINE
 - b. Click on DOCUSER in the top menu
 - i. Click on Search/View, which will take you to the Search/View screen
 - 1. Change the top Search in pull-down menu to "Region Code" which will open a second browser window
 - a. Click on "07 Pacific Southwest Region"
 - 2. Change the first "Only if" pull-down menu to "EFTS Participant"
 - 3. Click on the Search button at the bottom of the screen

Question: What software do I need to participate in EFTS?

Answer

You will need software to generate a data file of the fees you wish to charge other libraries; you will need to send this data file to EFTS for processing. The following commercial interlibrary loan management programs can generate EFTS reports.

- Clio
- ILLiad
- OuickDOC

If you do not use one of these programs, you may download the EFTS File Builder Program free of charge from the EFTS web site at http://efts.uchc.edu/program.htm. The EFTS web site has a 9 minute narrated presentation that provides an overview of these programs. The presentation is available at http://efts.uchc.edu/presentations.html.

Question: How do I transfer Loansome Doc requests in DOCLINE?

Answer

Once you have updated those Loansome Doc requests that your library can fill in DOCLINE, click on **Requests** in the top menu, then click on **Borrow**. Next, click on **Transfer** sub-menu item. You should see the **Transfer Loansome Doc request** screen. Now, click on **Go** in order bring up all the remaining Loansome Doc requests in descending order.

You can only transfer one Loansome Doc request at a time. To do this, first verify that the **Ship to** option indicated is appropriate for the request. The **Ship to** default is "Patron". Click on the corresponding request number under the Transfer Request column heading. This will initiate the transfer of the Loansome Doc request. Review and modify the Routing Instructions section of the screen, remember that Referral Reason is a required field. Review and Modify the Patron's delivery address. Once all the information on the screen is verified and correct, click on the Finish button.

Andrea Lynch

This article is freely available at: http://nnlm.gov/psr/lat/v12n6/faq@psrml.html

New EFTS Participants in the Pacific Southwest Region We are Up to 18% Participation!

Since the July/August 2003 issue of *Latitudes*, the following 29 libraries have joined the Electronic Funds Transfer System (EFTS). As of November 13, 2003, 74 of our 411 DOCLINE libraries are EFTS participants in the Pacific Southwest Region. Last year at this time, there were 3! Will you be next?

Resource library

Loma Linda University, Loma Linda, CA

Primary Access Libraries

Arizona School of Health Sciences, Mesa, AZ

Arrowhead Regional Medical Center, Colton, CA

Banner Good Samaritan Medical Center, Phoenix, AZ

Carl T Hayden VA Medical Center, Library, Phoenix, AZ

Children's Hospital and Health Center, San Diego, CA

Community Health Library, Los Gatos, CA

Eisenhower Medical Center, Rancho Mirage, CA

Good Samaritan Hospital Medical Center, San Jose, CA

House Ear Institute, Los Angeles, CA

Kaiser Permanente Medical Center, Roseville, CA

Kaiser Permanente Medical Center, South Sacramento, CA

Kaiser Permanente Medical Center, Sacramento, CA

Kaiser Permanente Medical Center--Arden Annex, Sacramento, CA

Kaiser Permanente Medical Center, Santa Rosa, CA

Kaiser Permanente Medical Center, San Rafael, CA

Kaiser Permanente Medical Center, San Francisco, CA

Kaiser Permanente Medical Center, South San Francisco, CA

Kapiolani Medical Center for Women and Children, Honolulu, HI

Lanterman Developmental Center, Staff Library, Pomona, CA

Presbyterian Intercommunity Hospital, Whittier, CA

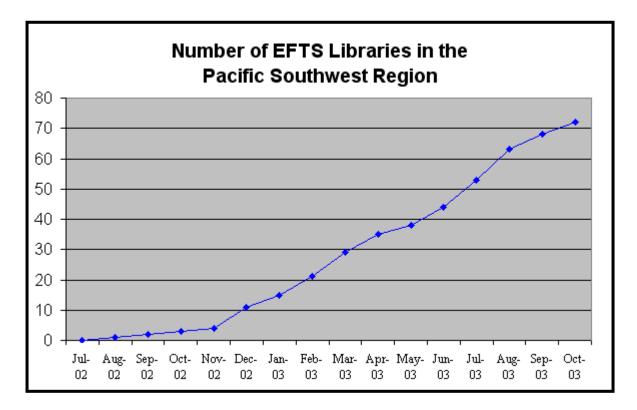
Reeves Medical Library, Cottage Hospital, Santa Barbara, CA Sequoia Hospital Health Sciences Library, Redwood City, CA Sonoma Developmental Center Staff Library, Eldridge, CA Southern Arizona VA Health Care System, Tucson, AZ

St. Francis Medical Center, Lynwood, CA

St. Joseph Hospital, Burlew Medical Library, Orange, CA

St. Vincent Medical Center, Health Sciences Library, Los Angeles, CA

US Naval Health Research Center, San Diego, CA



Please contact Julie or Andrea with any questions or concerns you may have regarding EFTS.

Julie Kwan and Andrea Lynch

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New Network Members in the Pacific Southwest Region

Since the last issue of *Latitudes*, three members have joined the National Network of Libraries of Medicine (NN/LM), Pacific Southwest Region. Please welcome the following new members of NN/LM!

New Affiliate Member

An Affiliate Member is a library or information/resource center that is called on for health information by its users. An Affiliate Member might form a cooperative relationship with a Full Member, for example, for reference assistance or document delivery. An Affiliate Member may also wish to be listed in MEDLINEplus as offering consumer health information services to local residents.

LIBID	Institution
CAUHYJ	San Diego Public Library

New Full Member

A Full member of the NN/LM participates in DOCLINE.

LIBID	Institution	Department	DOCLINE Active
CAUJFA	Sharp Outpatient Pavilion	Community Health Library	Yes
			(as of 10/2/2003)
CAUJKV	Pacific College of Oriental Medicine	Library	In process

Benefits

As a benefit of membership, all members receive:

- Invitations to apply for various funding opportunities;
- A certificate, which names the institution as a recognized member of the National Network of Libraries of Medicine;
- An invitation, on a periodic basis, to provide input to its RML on the region's programs and services:
- Access to interlibrary loan services available to the Network;
- Special mailings of NLM posters, brochures, and other publications;
- An opportunity for librarians from their institution to be considered for service on the RML's Regional Advisory Committee;
- Enrollment on the PSRML (RMLRG7-L) electronic discussion list.

What You Can do to Help

If you know of a library or resource center that is not part of the Network yet, please let us know or give the staff our contact information. In addition, the following webpage provides more information on Network membership within the Pacific Southwest Region: http://www.nnlm.gov/psr/nm.html.

Andrea Lynch

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Highlights of the September - October 2003 issue of the *NLM Technical Bulletin*

What's new in PubMed and MEDLINE?

- Over 1.5 million citations to articles published between 1953 and 1965 have been added to PubMed and removed from the Gateway. These records were produced with different data entry standards than are now used for MEDLINE records. Consequently, you may need to use different search techniques to retrieve these citations. See the <u>complete article</u> for detailed instructions.
- PubMed now includes three short animations to help users learn how to use Cubby. The three presentations are: 1) Getting Started with Cubby, 2) Storing a Search Strategy in Cubby, and 3) Checking What's New for a Cubby Stored Search. You will find these in the Cubby section of PubMed's Help. more
- On November 13, 2003, NLM began MEDLINE/PubMed end-of-year activities and temporarily interrupted adding newly indexed citations to MEDLINE and PubMed until these end-of-year activities are complete. These activities include a variety of global changes, most notably changing MeSH headings on existing MEDLINE citations to conform to the new 2004 version of MeSH. In-process citations will continue to be added, but there will be a longer time during which these citations do not have MeSH headings. Remember that search strategies that use MeSH terms will not retrieve in-process citations or publisher-supplied citations. more
- Do you have projects that use the MEDLINE UI (Unique Identifier)? Last month's Technical Bulletin announced that the UI would be discontinued. You can now go to a MEDLINE UI/PubMed ID matcher in order to find the corresponding PubMed ID (PMID). This is available on the PubMed sidebar under E-Utilities. more info

Vocabulary - MeSH and UMLS

- Wordsmiths will enjoy the discussion about the MeSH changes to the Category B Organism Tree and the check tag 'animal'. The impact on PubMed will in fact be quite small because most changes will be automatically mapped. However, the changes are a vast improvement in how knowledge is represented in the tree structures. PubMed users who have stored Cubby searches containing the descriptor 'Animals' or the check tag 'Animal' should review the content of this article as should anyone who regularly searches for articles on animals.
- The Unified Medical Language System (UMLS) was updated during the summer and can now be searched online. You must be a registered user of the UMLS Knowledge Source Server in order to search the database. More details about the UMLS are available on its web site.
- The MeSH Browser now has a link to the 2004 MeSH. You can also download the 2004 MeSH in both XML and ASCII formats. Both are available on the MeSH Home Page.

Educational and Training Opportunities

- The National Training Center and Clearinghouse has announced its schedule of classes for 2004. Classes in our region have been added to the *Upcoming Events* in this issue of *Latitudes*. For the complete listing, see the NTCC training schedule.
- Do you need a brush-up on molecular biology and genetics? This issue of the *Technical Bulletin* includes an <u>article</u> with a useful chart of molecular biology and genetics information resources and training opportunities.
- NCBI is offering four regional sessions of the three-day Introduction to Molecular Biology Information Resources class this year. If you missed the Los Angeles class on November 17 –

- 19, 2003, you may wish to consider the upcoming class in Seattle, Washington on June 14 16, 2004. Other dates are available on the upcoming course schedule.
- You can now find PDF versions of the training slides for the UMLS Basics class. The next class will be offered at NLM on February 23, 2004; the class will also be offered at the Medical Library Association meeting in May 2004. more
- There is a new PubMed tutorial available from the PubMed sidebar. This new tutorial includes changes to PubMed through June 2003, including: page selection, "send to" pull-down menu options, journals database, MeSH database, abstract/full-text icons, display of more comments/corrections, and new search capabilities for corporate author, place of publication, and grant number. more

Entrez Global Search

• As NLM's databases continue to grow, there is more interest in being able to search across all databases at one time. Entrez now has a Global Query System in which you can enter a query and see the number of hits in each Entrez database. Click on Entrez on the black menu bar in PubMed or go to http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/gquery/gquery.fcgi.

NIHSeniorHealth Web Site

• The NIHSeniorHealth Web Site was officially announced on October 23, 2003. Developed by both the National Institute on Aging and the National Library of Medicine, NIHSeniorHealth is specifically tailored for use by older adults and the individuals who care for them. The site has been designed to incorporate special features to increase readability for older readers, including larger type and short, easy-to-read segments of information. You can click a "Turn on Speech" button to hear the text. You can access NIHSeniorHealth at http://nihseniorhealth.gov/.

Julie Kwan

[Editor's note: Wherever possible in this article, we have used text directly from the NLM Technical Bulletin for clarity and correctness.]

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Upcoming Events*

November 2003		
3 – 5 Internet Librarian 2003, http://www.infotoday.com/il2003/, Monterey, CA		
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7 NTCC, TOXNET (1-day), http://nnlm.gov/mar/online/description.html, Davis, CA				
8 – 12 American Medical Informatics Association Annual Symposium, http://www.amia.org	rg,			
14 – 17 California Library Association Conference, 8000 Libraries, One Voice, http://www.net.dreamhost.com/news/confexhibition.php, Ontario, CA	.cla-			
15 – 19 American Public Health Association Annual Meeting, <i>Behavior, Lifestyle and Social Determinants of Health</i> , http://www.apha.org/meetings/, San Francisco, CA (<i>NLM I</i> 11/16-19/2003)	Exhibit,			
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21 – 25 Gerontological Society of America, http://www.geron.org/AnnualMeeting/annual.htm.	tm, San			
December 2003				
8 – 11 Arizona Library Association Annual Conference,				
http://www.azla.org/conference/programapps.html, Phoenix, AZ				
13 – 14 Hawai'i Library Association 2003 Annual Conference,				
http://www.hlaweb.org/Confer2003/confer2003Index.htm, Lanai City, HI				
24 – Jan. PSRML offices at the Louise M. Darling Biomedical Library, along with all oth				
1, 2004 UCLA Library facilities, will be closed from Wednesday, December 24, 2003, the Thursday, Japanese 1, 2004	nrougn			
Thursday, January 1, 2004. January 2004				
9 – 14 American Library Association Midwinter Meeting,				
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PSRML Health Literacy Conference, Symposium: Stake Your Claim to Health Literacy http://ncnmlg.stanford.edu/calendar/jtmtg2004/symposium.html, Sacramento, CA	acy,			
29 – 31 Joint Meeting of NCNMLG, MLGSCA, and PNC, http://ncnmlg.stanford.edu/calendar/jtmtg2004/ , Sacramento, CA (PSRML Exhibit)				
February 2004				
NTCC, <i>PubMed</i> (1-day), http://nnlm.gov/mar/online/description.html, Loma Linda, (<i>Remote site; receiving feed from Salt Lake City</i>)	CA			
24 – 28 Public Library Association National Conference, http://www.pla.org , Seattle, WA (1) Exhibit, 2/25-2/27/2004)	NLM			
28 – 29 ASIST, Information Architecture Summit 2004,				
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http://www.asis.org/Conferences/IA04/index.html, Austin, TX				

10 - 12	Information Today, Computers in Libraries, http://www.infotoday.com/cil2004/,
	Washington, DC
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	http://nnlm.gov/mar/online/description.html, San Francisco, CA

^{*} Please visit the <u>PSRML Library Professional Development Award</u> web page to apply for an award to attend educational events. PSRML will make available awards up to \$1,000 to individuals in Primary Access Libraries in the Pacific Southwest Region. Applications may be made at any time.

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